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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re: Application of: IMAMURA, et al.

Serial No.: 09/121,017

Filed: July 22, 1998

For: **HEPARIN-BINDING PROTEINS MODIFIED WITH
SUGAR CHAINS, METHOD OF PRODUCING THE
SAME AND PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITIONS
CONTAINING THE SAME**

Examiner: D. Saunders (Art Unit: 1644)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

March 5, 2001

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated October 3, 2000 for two (2) months from March 3, 2001 to Saturday, May 3, 2001.

Enclosed please find the fee of \$390.00 to cover the cost of the two (2) month extension.

Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to Deposition Account No.: 50-0552.

Respectfully submitted,

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